# Exhibit A OMB No. 1105-0003 To Registration Statement Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

Privacy Act Statement. Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, dissemination report, copy of political propaganda or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this act is a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the Registration Unit in Washington, D.C. One copy is automatically provided to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, and copies of such documents are routinely made available to other agencies, departments and Congress pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Act. Finally, the Attorney Genreral transmits an annual report to the Congress on the Administration of the Act which lists the names of all agents and the nature, sources and content of the political propaganda disseminated or distributed by them. This report is available to the public.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .49 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief, Registration Unit, Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20530; and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, D.C. 20503.

Furnish this exhibit for EACH foreign principal listed in an initial statement and for EACH additional foreign principal acquired subsequently.

| . Name and address of registrant   |  |  | 2. Regist | ration No |
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| C/R International, L.L.C.<br>1150 17th Street, NW Suite 406 Washington, DC 20036 |  |  | 5117      |           |
|  |  | 4. Principal address of foreign principal<br>Embassy of Ethiopia<br>2134 Kalorama Road, NW<br>Washington, DC 20008 |           |           |
| 5. Indicate whether your foreign principal is one of the follo                   | wing type:   |  |           |           |
| □ Foreign government   |  |  | 199       | (F)       |
| ☐ Foreign political party  |  |  | 1999 F.S  | ,         |
| ☐ Foreign or ☐ domestic organization: If either, check o                         | ne of the following:   |  | <u>~</u>  | ·<br>•    |
| ☐ Partnership  | ☐ Committee  |  | #         |           |
| ☐ Corporation  | ☐ Voluntary group  |  | ىب<br>س   |           |
| ☐ Association  | ☐ Other (specify)  |  | <u> </u>  | ·         |
| ☐ Individual—State his nationality   |  |  |           |           |
| 6. If the foreign principal is a foreign government, state:                      |  |  |           |           |
| a) Branch or agency represented by the registrant.                               |  |  |           |           |
| b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals.                        | Ambassador Berhane Gebre-Christos<br>Embassy of Ethiopia<br>2134 Kalorama Road, NW<br>Washington, DC 20008 |  |           |           |
| 7. If the foreign principal is a foreign political party, state:                 | Not applicable   |  |           |           |
| a) Principal address   |  |  |           |           |
| b) Name and title of official with whom registrant deals.                        |  |  |           |           |
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8. If the foreign principal is not a foreign government or a foreign political party,

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| Not Applicab | a) State the nature of the business or activity of this foreign principal |
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| □ oN | nent, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes 🗆 1        | Subsidized in part by a foreign governr |
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| □ºN  | nment, foreign political party, or other foreign principal Yes $\square$ | Subsidized in whole by a foreign gover  |
| □ °N | eign political party, or other foreign principal                         | Financed by a foreign government, for   |
| □ °N | reign political party, or other foreign principal $\dots$ Yes $\square$  | Controlled by a foreign government, fo  |
| □oN  | ign political party, or other foreign principal $Ye_{s} \ \square$       | Directed by a foreign government, fore  |
| □ ºN | gn political party, or other foreign principal Yes 🛘 🕆                   | Owned by a foreign government, foreig   |
|      | Not Applicable   | b) Is this foreign principal            |
|      |  |   |

9. Explain fully all items answered "Yes" in Item 8(b). (If additional space is needed, a full insert page may be used.)

Not Applicable

foreign principal, state who owns and controls it. 10. If the foreign principal is an organization and is not owned or controlled by a foreign government, foreign political party or other

Not Applicable

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Stephen F. Riley Managing Member Name and Title

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#### U.S. Department of Justic

Washington, DC 20530

#### Exhibit B

To Registration Statement

Under the Foreign Agents Registration

OMB No. 105-0007 Approval Expires Nov. 30, 1993

of 1938, as amended

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ust furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the term pal, including all modifications of such agreements; or, where no contrate exists, a full statement of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. This for shall be filed in triplicate in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the

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Registrant

hal, L.L.C.

Name of Foreign Paripal

Government of Ethiopia

#### Check Appropriate Boxes:

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2.L.] There is no formal writte has resulted from an ex cluding a copy of any

3. The agreement or under nor an exchange of corn conditions of the oral a egistrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract If this box is checked, tract to this exhibit.

ract between the registrant and foreign principal. The agreement with the above named foreign principal e of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach three copies of all per ent correspondence, inproposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.

ng between the registrant and the foreign principal is the result of neither formal written contract dence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete descript below of the terms and dence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete descript ent or understanding, its duration, the fees and the expenses, if any, to

below of the terms and

4. Describe fully the nature

ethod of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding

esponse to question #1

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| 5. Describe fully the activities the registra  | ant engages in or proposes to engage in on                      | behalf of the above foreign principal.              |
|  | See response to question #1                                     |   |
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| 6. Will the activities on behalf of the above Yes ☒ No □                                 | e foreign principal include political activiti                  | es as defined in Section 1(0) of the Act?           |
| If yes, describe all such political activities i<br>with the means to be employed to ach | indicating, among other things, the relation ieve this purpose. | ns, interests or policies to be influenced together |
| and assistance on special n  | DIGITECTS AS requirered. In ac-                                 | tion of twode and dominate .                        |
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| Date of Exhibit B  | Name and Title  | Simon   |
| February 16, 1999  | Stephen F. Riley Managing Member                                | Signature   |

Political activity as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act means the dissemination of political propaganda and any other activity which the person engaging therein befieves will, or which he intends to, prevail upon, indoctrinate, convert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting, or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign such as the domestic or foreign policies of the United States with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign

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### **CONTRACT**

This contract is entered into on February 1, 1999 between C/R International, L.L.C. and the Government of Ethiopia (hereafter referred to as Client).

C/R and Client agree as follows:

#### 1. <u>RETENTION</u>.

- (a) <u>Services</u>. Client retains C/R to provide services on public relations, government affairs, strategic counsel, promotion of trade and investment, and assistance on special projects as requested by Client.
- (b) <u>Term</u>. This contract shall be effective for the twelve-month period beginning February 1, 1999 and ending January 31, 2000. This contract may be extended or renewed at the end of that term by written mutual consent of the parties. Either party to this contract may terminate it, with or without cause, by giving thirty (30) days prior written notice to the other party.
- (c) <u>Fee and Expenses</u>. For services rendered, Client shall pay C/R an annual fee of \$300,000.00. [This fee includes all normal operating expenses e.g., materials development, travel, etc. Extraordinary expenses that relate to special projects would be discussed with and approved by Client in advance and on a case-by-case basis. Client will reimburse C/R for such extraordinary expenses within fifteen (15) days of receipt of a monthly invoice.]
- (d) <u>Billing</u>. Client will pay C/R the annual fee upon receipt of an invoice in February 1999 and compensate C/R for expenses upon receipt of a monthly invoice.

#### 2. <u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>.

Client may designate as confidential any information that it provides to C/R under this Contract. C/R shall not disclose such information without Client's permission. C/R may disclose confidential information required by applicable law or judicial administrative order.

## 3. PERFORMANCE AND APPROVALS.

Representatives of C/R and Client shall meet as frequently as either party deems necessary to review performance of their respective obligations hereunder. Client shall have the sole responsibility for authorizing and approving the scope and content of all services provided by C/R.

## 4. <u>ACCURACY OF INFORMATION</u>.

Client shall be solely responsible for the accuracy, completeness, and legal compliance of all information about Client that Client either provides to C/R or approves in connection with C/R's performance of its obligations under this Contract.

### 5. <u>MISCELLANEOUS</u>.

- (a) Notices. All notices required under this Contract shall be given in writing by personal delivery, telecopy (with confirmation of receipt), or certified mail (return receipt requested), addressed to C/R International, L.L.C., 1150 17th St. NW, Suite 406, Washington, DC 20036, Attention: Robert J. Cabelly; and to Client at the address set forth below. Notice by personal delivery or telecopy shall be effective when received and notice by certified mail shall be effective when deposited in the mail.
- (b) <u>Successors and Assigns</u>. This Contract shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.
- (c) <u>Amendment</u>. This Contract may be amended only in writing executed by each of the parties hereto.
- (d) <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Contract constitutes the entire agreement of the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes any and all prior agreements with respect to such subject matter between C/R and Client.
- (e) <u>Governing Laws</u>. This Contract shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the United States.
- (f) <u>Assignment</u>. This Contract may not be assigned by either party without the prior written consent of the other party.

#### 6. <u>AGENT FOR SERVICE</u>.

Client hereby irrevocably designates Clayborne E. Chavers, Esq., the Chavers Law Firm, P.C., 1400 16<sup>th</sup> St. NW, Suite 330, Washington, DC, 20036 as its agent for the service of judicial notice or process in any litigation involving Client and C/R under this Contract. C/R hereby irrevocably designates Carr, Morris & Graeff, P.C., 1120 G St. NW, Suite 930, Washington, DC 20005 as its agent for judicial service of process.

Robert J. Cabelly C/R International, L.L.C. 1150 17th Street, NW

Suite 406

Washington, DC 20036

Date: February 1, 1999

His Excellency, Berhane Gebre-Christos Ambassador to the United States for the Government of Ethiopia 2134 Kalorama Road, NW

Washington, DC 20008

By Jehane Cocon Oltes

Date: February 1, 1999